KADUR DISTRICT.

(*Nos. 361 to 378.*)

SUBJECT No. 361.

Repairs to the old Ramanahalli channel.

Messrs C. Srinivasa Rao and C. Vasudeva Rao, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—This subject has been brought before the Assembly several times and nothing has been done in the matter of repairing the channel. The ryots are put to great loss on this account. The work may therefore be undertaken and finished this year at least.

Reply of Government.—Will be enquired into.

SUBJECT No. 362.

Chikmagalur water-supply.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The present water-supply of the Chikmagalur town is insufficient and defective. Steps should be taken to place it on a satisfactory footing.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 363.

A Sanskrit school for Chikmagalur.

Mr. B. Kesaviah, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—There is no Sanskrit school in Chikmagalur, though it is a large town. This is a want felt badly by the people. The Sringeri Matt has made a monthly grant of Rs. 10 for teaching *Veda* in the town, but this is quite inadequate. A grant-in-aid may be made to this institution.

Reply of Government.—Noted. Will be referred to the Inspector-General of Education.

SUBJECT No. 364.

Levy of tolls in Shimoga town.

Mr. N. M. Sivalingappa, Kadur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—People coming to Shimoga from Sagar, Shikarpur, Honnali, Tirthahalli, Channagiri and various other places have to pay tolls at more than one place on the route and also at Shimoga. This is hard on the ryots carrying manure, firewood, etc., through Shimoga. So the present rate of tolls at Shimoga of As. 4 and 2, respectively, for loaded and empty carts may be reduced to two annas and one anna.

Reply of Government.—Cannot be done.

SUBJECT No. 365.

Strengthening the police staff at Birur.

Messrs. N. M. Sivalingappa and S. Parvatappa, Kadur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Birur is a large commercial town with many wealthy merchants. Thefts are frequent and people are under constant fear of being robbed. So the number of police constables may be increased and a responsible police officer, such as a Sub-Inspector or Jamedar, may be located in the place.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner for consideration.

SUBJECT No. 366.

Locating a Munsiff's court or a Sub-Division office at Birur.

Messrs. N. M. Sivalingappa and S. [illegible], Kadur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Birur is a large commercial place with plenty of litigation. It is also important as being a railway junction. The Revenue Sub-Division office or the Munsiff's court may be located in this place.

Reply of Government.—Noted.